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The steps taken in accordance with the decision on the foregoing Minutes
to be recorded below.

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Communications on this subject should
be addressed to—

The Under Secretary of State,
Colonial Office,

London, S.W.,

and the following number quoted

For: 18005

Downing Street,

27 August 1896.

Sir,

I am directed by the Secretary of State for the Colonies to

forward, for the information
of the Marquess of Lansdowne,
the enclosed copy of a telegram
from the High Commissioner
for South Africa respecting the
operations against the rebels
in the territories of the British
South Africa Company

I am,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

R. H. MEADE.

The Under Secretary of State
Colonial Office

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Copy. TELEGRAM. From Lieutenant General Goodenough to Mr Chamberlain

18005/96.

Received 4.15 p.m. 26/8/96.

26th August No.1 on 19 August Martin reported by telegram that Makoni had offered surrender if lives of himself and his people were guaranteed and that Lord Grey urged acceptance on these terms I replied that surrender could only be accepted on the distinct understanding that the lives of such natives only as had not been directly concerned in murders were guaranteed but that all persons should have a fair and full trial before a Court of law. With reference to this following telegram received from Carrington. Begins Alderson telegraphs 23 August that in view of probable surrender of Makoni he had ordered Watts to concentrate considerable portion of troops on ^{line of communication} at Fort Hayne and to go there himself to be present at laying down of arms or at once proceed against Makoni should he refuse terms of High Commissioner Watts has ordered 200 men with 7 pr. gun to district Lieutenant St. Aubyn reported last night that he had taken two kraals near the Hunyan drift after some fighting in which Corporal Roger Trevor and Trooper J.C. Jacki both of Whites column wounded They are in Salisbury Hospital both going well Whites column was to go on to Buluwayo from Hunyani direct to-day. No.3517 Private Rainey 1 Battalion Royal Irish Rifles ^{has had} ~~fracturing~~ his leg amputated below knee

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he was wounded 19 August ends. Christian name of
person named was in error given as Ramsey my telegram
of 21 August No.2 no further information yet received
from Matoppos.

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he was found to be a member of the
party named in the report as having
of the party. No further information was received
from the party.